



IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
June 29, 2006

Applicants : Yoshiharu HASEGAWA et al

For : ALUMINUM ALLOY PIPING MATERIAL FOR AUTOMOTIVE TUBES
HAVING EXCELLENT CORROSION RESISTANCE AND FORMABILITY,
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SAME

Serial No. : 10/674 283 Group: 1742

Confirmation No.: 3119

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Atty. Docket No.: Fukuda 43

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed January 11, 2006 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-4 and 6-13.

(Please see following page.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Respectfully submitted,



Terrance F. Chapman

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The items checked below are appropriate:

A Petition and fee for extension accompany this Notice.

Appeal fee:

\$500.00 (large entity).

\$250.00 (small entity).

Statement(s) re small entity status:

Attached.

Previously filed.

A check for \$1,520.00 is enclosed to cover fees.

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